

B.S.C.J in Criminal Justice

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General Education

REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
First Year Writing I	3	Complete Hon 101 , Writ 100 or Writ 101 with a passing grade.
First Year Writing II	3	Complete one of the following courses with a passing grade: Liba 102 , Writ 102 or Hon 102 .
3 hrs Math 100+	3	Successfully complete 3 hours of Math at the 100 level or above.
6 hrs Natural Science	6	Complete 6 hrs of natural science with labs, chosen from Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry (not Chem 101), Physics, Geology, and Liba 150 , 151 , 205 , 205L, 315, 315L
2 associated science labs	8	Successfully complete at least two science laboratory courses.
6 hrs humanities	6	Complete 6 hrs of humanities chosen from: AAS 201 , 202 , Classics, English (Eng 220 -226), History, Philosophy, Religion, G St 201 , 202 , S St 100 -level, Liba 202 , 312 , 305 , Hon 101 or 102
3 hrs Arts Appreciation	3	Complete 3 hours in the area of fine or performing arts. Choose from art history, music, dance, and theatre arts. Studio and workshop courses cannot be used to satisfy this requirement. Acceptable freshman or sophomore-level courses are: AH 101 , AH 102 , AH 201 , AH 202 ; Music 101, Music 102, Music 103, Music 104, Music 105; Dance 200; and Theatre 201.
6 hrs social or behavioral science	6	Complete 6 hrs of social or behavioral science chosen from: Anthropology, Economics, Psychology, Political Science, Sociology, Liba 203 , 313 , Hon 101 or 102

General Education II

REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
Writ 250 or CJ 322	3	Complete either Writ 250 or CJ 322 with a passing grade.
3 hrs statistics course	3	Successfully complete a statistic course from the following list of courses: CJ 202 , Math 115 , Econ 230 , Bus 230 or Psy 202 .

Major Requirements

REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
CJ 100	3	Complete CJ 100 with a passing grade.
CJ 210	3	Complete CJ 210 with a passing grade.
CJ 300	3	Complete CJ 300 with a passing grade.
CJ 324	3	Complete CJ 324 with a passing grade.
CJ 450	3	Complete CJ 450 with a passing grade.
CJ 490 or CJ 499	3	Complete CJ 490 or CJ 499 with a passing grade.
Enroll in a BSCJ emphasis		Enroll in an emphasis area within the BS in Criminal Justice program.
Overall Major GPA		Please contact your academic advisor for grade point requirements.

Emphasis - Homeland Security

REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
CJ 115	3	Complete CJ 115 with a passing grade.
CJ 285	3	Complete CJ 285 with a passing grade.
CJ 376	3	Complete CJ 376 with a passing grade.
CJ 400	3	Complete CJ 400 with a passing grade.
CJ 420	3	Complete CJ 420 with a passing grade.

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REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
9 hrs criminal justice elective	9	Successfully complete 9 credit hours of criminal justice (CJ) electives. Courses may not be chosen from any criminal justice course that is being used for the Homeland Security emphasis or part of the 5 required CJ courses (100, 210, 300, 490, and 499).

Emphasis - Law Enforcement

REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
CJ 230	3	Complete CJ 230 with a passing grade.
CJ 310	3	Complete CJ 310 with a passing grade.
CJ 315	3	Complete CJ 315 with a passing grade.
CJ 410	3	Complete CJ 410 with a passing grade.
12 hrs criminal justice elective	12	Successfully complete 12 credit hours of criminal justice (CJ) electives. Courses may not be chosen from any criminal justice course that is being used for the Law Enforcement emphasis or part of the 5 required CJ courses (100, 210, 300, 490, and 499).

Emphasis - Corrections

REQUIREMENT	HOURS	DESCRIPTION
CJ 270	3	Complete CJ 270 with a passing grade.
CJ 320	3	Complete CJ 320 with a passing grade.
CJ 422	3	Complete CJ 422 with a passing grade.
CJ 444	3	Complete CJ 444 with a passing grade.
12 hrs criminal justice electives	12	Successfully complete 12 credit hours of criminal justice (CJ) electives. Courses may not be chosen from any criminal justice course that are being used for the Corrections emphasis or part of the 5 required CJ courses (100, 210, 300, 490, and 499).

